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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking  
Regarding Revisions to the California  
Advanced Services Fund.

Rulemaking 20-08-021

**ASSIGNED COMMISSIONER'S RULING  
REVISING THE SCHEDULE FOR PHASES II AND III**

On October 26, 2020, Commissioner Guzman Aceves issued the assigned Commissioner's Scoping Memo and Ruling (Scoping Memo) in this proceeding. That Scoping Memo set forth three phases for the proceeding, the first of which was completed on March 4, 2021.

Since the Scoping Memo was issued, multiple bills relating to the California Advanced Services Fund (CASF) have been introduced in the State Legislature. The legislation that may ultimately be adopted concerning the CASF would directly impact program requirements and Commission policy options. Therefore, Phase II and Phase III of the proceeding will be delayed until such time as relevant state or federal legislation is adopted, or at the latest until the fourth quarter of 2021. Once additional information is available to move the proceeding forward, a revised Scoping Memo may be issued for the remaining phases of the proceeding. This schedule change will maximize administrative efficiency and flexibility to facilitate a timely response to any new legislation that may be passed.

**IT IS SO RULED.**

Dated April 15, 2021, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ DARCIE L. HOUCK

Darcie L. Houck  
Assigned Commissioner